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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the PATENT application of

Randy Mersky et al.

Examiner: Worjloh, Jalatee

Serial No.: 09/931,187

Art Unit: 3621

Filed: August 17, 2001

For: Method and Apparatus for Facilitating Manual Payments for Transactions  
Conducted Over a Network

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time period for responding to the Office Action of August 11, 2004 from November 11, 2004 to February 11, 2005. Applicants further petition that any and all extensions of the term necessary to render timely the filing of the accompanying or any future responses be granted.

The extension fee is:

☒ \$510.00      ☐ \$1,020.00

☒ An extension fee in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated

☐ Charge \$      to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

Dated: February 10, 2005

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